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FM AMCONSUL ALEXANDRIA

TO SECSTATE WASHDC PRIORITY 0617

INFO AMEMBASSY CAIRO

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E.O. 11652: NA

TAGS: EWWT, EG

SUBJECT: PORT PROBLEMS IN ALEXANDRIA

REF: ALEXANDRIA 0121

1. CONSUL GENERAL AND SHIPPING OFFICER CALLED MORNING OF 9 FEB 1977 ON SENIOR OFFICIAL OF ABU SIMBEL SHIPPING AGENCY TO GET AGENCY'S VERSION OF CAUSE FOR SEEMING NEGLIGENCE IN UNLOADING OF PL-480 CARGO FROM SS SHIRLEY LYKES (REFTEL).

2. CAPTAIN RASHID AND AGENCY OFFICER RESPONSIBLE FOR THAT LYKES VESSEL ASSURED US PROBLEM WAS FAILURE OF RECEIVER (CATHOLIC RELIEF SERVICES) TO SUPPLY NECESSARY TRUCKS. INQUIRY IN CAIRO (WHERE CRS HAS OFFICES) BY EMBASSY AND USAID SUBSTANTIATED THIS STORY. APPARENTLY TRUCKING FIRM CONTRACTED FOR BY GOE'S INTERMINISTERIAL COMMITTEE FOR FOREIGN VOLUNTARY ASSISTANCE FOUND ITSELF OVER-COMMITTED AND CRS AND LYKES LINES BECAME VICTIMS.

3. WE UNDERSTAND THAT TRUCKING FIRM HAS BEEN DROPPED AND FUTURE CRS CARGOES WILL BE HANDLED BY ANOTHER FIRM.

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